REMARKS

In the Office Action, claims 1-37 were pending, and claims 1-37 were subjected to a restriction requirement. In the Office Action at page 2, number 1, the Examiner divided the pending claims into the following distinct inventions:

Invention I - claims 1-9 drawn to a method of making a coated substrate (classified in class 427, subclass 402);

Invention II - claims 10-15 drawn to a method of making a laminated article (classified in class 156, subclass 99);

Invention III - claim 16- drawn to a method of making a coated article (classified in class 427, subclass 331);

Invention IV - claims 17-20 drawn to a laminated article (classified in class 428, subclass 411.1); and

Invention V - claims 21-37 drawn to an article (classified in class 428, subclass 426).

In response to the Examiner's restriction requirement, Applicants elect claims 1-9 (Invention I) with traverse. Applicants elect with traverse because it would not constitute a serious burden for the Examiner to examine all of the claims in a single application.

If there are any additional issues, the Examiner is requested to contact Applicants' attorney at the telephone number provided below.

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